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## MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

The jury in the case of the State, use of

Adeline Price, widow, and others, her children,

vs. the Northern Central Railway Company;

action to recover damages for the alleged

killing of Robert Price, of Baltimore county,

Md., on Saturday night, May 26, near

Cockeysville, which occupied the Superior

Court for several days last week, yesterday

rendered a verdict for the plaintiff of fifteen

thousand dollars damages.

The New York committee in the steamboat

interest had an interview with the Secretary of

the Treasury yesterday, when they urged the

suspension of the law compelling the use of a

particular kind of safety valve. The committee

is composed of Messrs. T. Cornell, and Mc-

Reynold, and they represent \$200,000,000—

more or less—capital. The Secretary has given

no decision.

A New York mechanic has invented some-

thing for horses for which he will probably be

made an honorary member of the Society for

the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. It

consists of a small reservoir, filled with water,

placed upon the animal's head, keeping the

brain cool, and thus warding off the effect of

heat and sunstroke.

J. Hubley Ashton retires from the post of

Assistant Attorney General to enter upon the

duties of register in bankruptcy in Philadelphia.

He will be succeeded by Mr. John M. Binck-

ley, heretofore holding the position of law clerk

in the Attorney General's Office.

General Thomas had an interview with the

President on Monday. It is understood that

he was questioned as to the complaints made

against Governor Brownlow's militia in Ten-

nessee.

WORK.—Most people are hardly aware of

what they can do when their energies and ca-

pabilities are put to the test. We were re-

minded of this fact the other day, when we

learned what had been done by a gentleman

sixty years of age during the present season.

Ascher Messing, residing about two miles from

Harrisonburg, has done the following work this

spring, with no other assistance in the world

than the help afforded by his daughter and

another lady, who assisted in planting his corn.

He has ploughed at least twenty acres of

ground, (some of it very rough, rocky and

hilly), sowed eleven bushels of oats and har-

rowed in it, planted one and a half bushels of

corn, (say fourteen acres,) put a quarter of an

acre in potatoes, made 100 rails, and put up

about 200 panels of fence, besides attending to

his other business, such as sheep-shearing,

going to mill, to the blacksmith's shop, and to

Harrisonburg to attend to his business in that

city. He has done all this work without much

extra effort, and doesn't look as if it had hurt

him a bit. We commend the example of this

"old rebel" to some of our nice young men

who lounge around the towns doing nothing,

because they are not able to do hard work!

Rockingham Register.

MR. SUMNER'S SPEECH.—The New York

Times of yesterday says: "We have received

proofs of Mr. Sumner's speech, about which

we have lately heard so much, on the occasion

of the Russian American. It is of stupendous size,

and is doubtless the best account in existence

of the subject in question. It begins with the

discovery of the country, by the navigator

Bahring, and goes down to the treaty of an-

nektion. It is illustrated by numerous classi-

cal and poetical quotations—by scraps from

Cicero, Webster, Milton, Byron, Campbell,

Goethe and numberless others, only less great.

It offers us hints in mental philosophy, botany,

mineralogy and international law. All persons

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

KNOW THY DESTINY.—MADAME E. F.

THORNTON, the great English Astrologist, Clair-

voyant and Psychometrist, who has astonished

the scientific classes of the Old World, has now

located her self at Hudson, N.Y. Madame

Thornton possesses such wonderful powers of

second sight, as to enable her to impart knowl-

edge of the greatest importance to the single or

married of either sex. While in a state of trance,

she delineates the very features of the person

you are to marry, and by the aid of an instru-

ment of intense power, known as the Psychom-

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disposition and complexion, and enclosing fifty

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tions sacredly confidential. Address, in confi-

dence, Madame E. F. Thornton, P. O. Box 223,

Hudson, N. Y. mh 22-1y

A YOUNG LADY returning to her coun-

try home, after a sojourn of a few months in the

city, was hardly recognized by her friends. In

place of a coarse, rustic, flushed face, she had

a soft, refined complexion of almost marble smooth-

ness, and instead of twenty-three, she really ap-

peared but eighteen. Upon inquiry as to the

cause of so great a change, she plainly told them

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in drawing impurities from, also healing, clean-

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band or wife of the applicant, with date of mar-

riage, occupation, leading traits of character,

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